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In re Application No.: 10/736,863 Confirmation No. 5348  
Filed: December 16, 2003 Art Unit: 3762  
Applicant: Robert E. Atkinson et al.  
Examiner: Kahelin, Michael  
Docket No. AEWI-1  
Title: LEAD STABILIZATION DEVICES AND METHODS

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please enter this Amendment in response to the Office Action dated March 5, 2008. A

Requested for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed contemporaneously herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.